

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

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AND RENEWAL THEREOF

## **AMENDMENT**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action dated August 22, 2003, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 13 of this paper.

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